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The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks BOX SEQUENCE Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to a Formalities Letter concerning compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosures mailed September 28, 2001 for the above-referenced patent application, Applicants request that the following amendment be entered.

AMENDMENT

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the sequence listing originally filed on February 2, 2001 with the sequence listing enclosed herein in the above-referenced patent application.

REMARKS

This Response complies with the requirements for patent applications containing nucleotide sequence and/or amino acid sequence

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